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PEI-P'ING AND SHANG-HAI LABOR GROUPS ACTIVE

PEI-P'ING FACTORY CONTROL SYSTEM -- Hua Shang Pao, 22 May 49

The planning committee of the Pei-p'ing General Labor Union called together more than 70 cadre members of the labor unions of public industries 19 May 1949 to study the progress being made by the various unions in carrying out the four duties (establishment of annual production goals, factory control committees, factory security, and educational activities) established by the Pei-p'ing Committee of the CCP.

Committee chairman Hung-shun (Ueda: 236, 9653) urged the union workers to set an example of obedience to the leadership of the Pei-p'ing Committee. The meeting worked out concrete measures for strengthening the control of the factory labor committees by means of lectures, wall posters, classes, discussions, promotion of widespread propaganda and education and by arranging for mutual criticism between management and the labor unions of the public enterprises as well as self-criticism. Discussions should be held on the qualifications of representatives in order to stimulate consideration of these qualifications, after which representatives to the control committee may be elected.

SHANG-HAI ESTABLISHES GENERAL LABOR UNION -- Ta Kung Pao, 4 Jun 49

On 30 May 1944, more than 2,200 representatives of the various Shanghai labor unions assembled at the Ta-kuang-ming Theater to celebrate the city's liberation. Simultaneously, the Preparation Committee announced the establishment of the Shanghai General Labor Union.

Among those who attended the mass meeting were Ch'en Yi, Tseng Shan, mayor and deputy mayor, respectively, of Shang-hai; Jao Sou-shih, secretary of the Shang-hai CCP committee; and Sung Shih-lin, Garrison Commander.

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The main speaker of the assembly was Mou Ch'ang-sheng who explained the meaning of the Shang-hai liberation. A presentation of a silk flag was made by Ch'en Yi to Jao Sou-shih, the former representing labor groups and business firms of Shang-hai and the latter representing the People's Liberation Army.

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